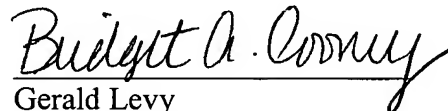


REMARKS

Applicants have herewith amended claim 11 to recite that the elastomer has the general formula set forth in the specification. Support for this amendment is found in the specification at page 3, line 22 through page 4, line 4, which provides the formula for the repeating unit of the elastomer. Thus, no new matter is being added by this amendment. Examination of claim 11 is respectfully requested.

Applicants do not believe that any fees are due with this response. However, if any fees are due, please charge such sums to our Deposit Account 50-1145.

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